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- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
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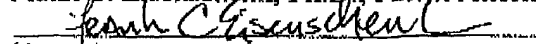
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By way of the response of this date, Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, Group III (claims 21-24) drawn to a polypeptide, classified in class 530, subclass 350. Prior to the Examination of the elected invention, Applicants submit a Preliminary Amendment canceling claims 21-24 and adding new claims 34-49. These claims correspond to those of the elected Group.